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May 4, 2001

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Addendum No. 1

Dear Contractor:

This addendum is being issued to the contract for construction on State highway in VENTURA COUNTY IN AND NEAR SANTA PAULA FROM 0.5 km WEST OF SOUTH HALLOCK DRIVE TO SESPE RANCH UNDERCROSSING NUMBER ONE.

Submit bids for this work with the understanding and full consideration of this addendum. The revisions declared in this addendum are an essential part of the contract.

Bids for this work will be opened on May 17, 2001.

This addendum is being issued to revise the Notice to Contractors and Special Provisions, and the Federal Minimum Wages with Modification Number 4 dated 4-27-01. A copy of the modified wage rates are available for the contractor's use on the Internet Site:

http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/weekly ads/addendum page.html

In the Special Provisions, Section 4, "BEGINNING OF WORK, TIME OF COMPLETION AND LIQUIDATED DAMAGES," the second and third paragraphs are revised as follows:

"The Contractor shall begin work within 45 calendar days after the contract has been approved by the Attorney General or the attorney appointed and authorized to represent the Department of Transportation.

The work shall be diligently prosecuted to completion before the expiration of **180 WORKING DAYS** beginning on the date that work begins. Work shall not begin prior to July 15, 2001."

In the Special Provisions, Section 4, "BEGINNING OF WORK, TIME OF COMPLETION AND LIQUIDATED DAMAGES," the following paragraph is added after the last paragraph:

"The 72 hours advance notice before beginning work referred to in Section 8-1.03, "Beginning of Work," of the Standard Specifications is changed to 5 days advance notice for this project."

In the Special Provisions, Section 10-1.09, "MAINTAINING TRAFFIC," the fifth paragraph is revised as follows:

"Except as otherwise shown on the Stage Construction Plan, the freeway lane and highway lane shall be closed only during the hours shown on Charts 1 through 4 included in this section "Maintaining Traffic." Except work required under Sections 7-1.08 and 7-1.09, work that interferes with public traffic shall be performed only during the hours shown for lane closures.

All work shown on the Stage Construction Plan at the Ventura County Transportation Commission (VCTC) railroad crossing shall remain in place for not less than 7 working days to facilitate railroad work by VCTC. During which time the Contractor shall not have work conflicting with the planned railroad work. That closure shall not exceed four weeks.

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Attention is directed to "Cooperation" of these special provisions regarding cooperation with VCTC. Full compensation for conforming to the provisions in this section shall be considered as included in the prices paid for the various contract items of work involved and no additional compensation will be allowed therefor."

To Proposal and Contract book holders:

Indicate receipt of this addendum by filling in the number of this addendum in the space provided on the signature page of the proposal.

Submit bids in the Proposal and Contract book you now possess. Holders who have already mailed their book will be contacted to arrange for the return of their book.

Inform subcontractors and suppliers as necessary.

This office is sending this addendum by confirmed facsimile to all book holders to ensure that each receives it.

If you are not a Proposal and Contract book holder, but request a book to bid on this project, you must comply with the requirements of this letter before submitting your bid.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY

REBECCA D. HARNAGEL, Chief Plans, Specifications & Estimates Branch Office of Office Engineer